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I wanted to follow up my voice mail with this email. In the meantime, Mike Cook heard from Winston that the Region will be revising the strategy. In revising the strategy, you should look at different geographic coverages and the impact that has on costs and time. You should also discuss what measures can be taken to lower human exposures in high risk residential areas while the studies continue over time. In the current draft of the strategy, the focus is on the entire 2150 sq mi area. You should compare the costs, time and interim measures associated with that geographic area with the following geographic areas: the 856 sq mi mined area; the residential areas within the 856 sq mi mined area; and the non-mandatory areas within the 856 sq mi mined area. I don't know what is included in the category of mining referred to as "CERCLA" in this draft strategy. That needs to be defined and maybe considered as one of the geographic options to be considered.

Call me if you want to discuss this further. I'm glad you have decided to do some more analyses on this. Let me know if we can help you in any way.

